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Attorney Docket No.	3001.002
First Inventor	Charles F. Kelly
Title	Skimmer and Filter
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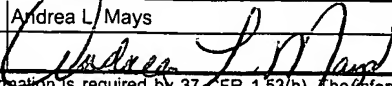
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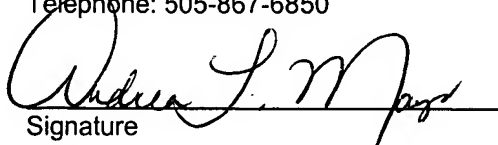
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